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LIST OF

County and Local Agricultural
Societies

WITH NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF PRESIDENTS AND SECRETARIES
AND DATES FOR HOLDING FALL EXHIBITIONS OF 1910

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PREFACE.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 1, 1910.

In order to promote correspondence and co-operation so far as may be possible among the agricultural societies and fair associations of the State, this Department again gives, in the following Bulletin, No. 195, as full a list as it has been able to secure of such societies and associations within the Commonwealth, together with the names and addresses of their officers, and the dates arranged for exhibitions during the coming Fall.

It will be noticed that some of the societies given in the list do not hold exhibitions. They, however, appear in the bulletin in order that the list of associations organized for the advancement of agricultural education may be as complete as possible, and to give other associations opportunity to correspond with them. The societies, whether holding fairs or not, are fruitful sources of good to the agriculture of the Commonwealth, and are assured of the sympathy and, as far as possible, the co-operation of this Department.

N. B. CRITCHFIELD,
Secretary of Agriculture.



LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 1, 1910.

Hon. N. B. Critchfield,
Secretary of Agriculture.

Dear Sir:—

This bulletin contains list of Local and County Agricultural and Horticultural Societies, with dates of Fairs, also Grange exhibits, to be held in Pennsylvania during the year 1910, as reported by Secretaries representing the different organizations.

The attendance for 1909 was 1,449,000, as compared with previous year 1,559,000, shows a decrease of 110,000; total membership 12,055; amount received from State fund, \$27,944.50; amount paid in premiums, 1909, \$125,568.65, previous year, \$95,517.91, an increase of \$30,050.74; amount offered in premiums, 1910, \$121,222.00, previous year, \$102,665.30, an increase of \$18,556.70.

We note a marked improvement in the manner of conducting Fairs throughout the State, in, that all games of chance, gambling devices and questionable shows have been practically eliminated; also increased amount offered in premiums for strictly agricultural products, with the additional feature of inviting experts in agriculture to address the people in the various lines of agricultural pursuits. Thus the agricultural fairs of Pennsylvania are rapidly becoming an active force in the development of agricultural knowledge throughout the State.

Very respectfully,
A. L. MARTIN,
Deputy Secretary.

List of County and Local Agricultural Societies, with Names and Addresses of Presidents and Secretaries, and
Dates for Holding Fall Exhibitions of 1910, Etc

County.	Corporate Name of Society.	Name and Address of President.	Name and Address of Secretary.
Adams, -----	State Horticultural Association of Pennsylvania, ----- Grangers' Inter-state Picnic Association, ----- Encampment and Fair, Patrons of Husbandry, -----	Gabriel Hiester, Harrisburg, ----- R. H. Thomas, Mechanicsburg, ----- Leonard Rhone, Centre Hall, -----	Chester C. Tyson, Floradale. H. S. Mohler, Mechanicsburg. Leonard Rhone, Centre Hall.
Adams, -----	The Fruit Growers' Association of Adams County, ----- Adams County Agricultural Association, -----	Robt. M. Eldon, Aspers, ----- Arthur Roberts, Gettysburg, R. F. D. No. 5.	Edwin C. Tyson, Floradale. A. I. Weidner, Arendtsville.
Allegheny, -----	Allegheny County Agricultural Association, ----- Dayton Agricultural & Mechanical Association, ----- Hoopetown Fair Association, -----	A. M. Kinney, Imperial, ----- Wm. Gallagher, Dayton, ----- T. C. Glenn, Hoopetown, -----	Chas. H. Stevenson, Coraopolis. C. C. Cochran, Dayton. Allen McDonald, Hoopetown.
Armstrong, -----	Bedford County Agricultural Society, ----- Bedford, -----	Dr. S. F. Statler, Bedford, ----- C. D. Harman, Kutztown, -----	J. Ray Cessna, Bedford. C. J. Rhode, Kutztown.
Beaver, -----	Kutztown Fair Association, ----- Agricultural and Horticultural Asso. of Berks Co., -----	James McGowan, Geiger's Mills, ----- Dr. W. Frank Beck, Altoona, -----	C. D. Seidel, Thron, Beading. H. S. Wertz, Duncansville.
Bedford, -----	Grange Fair Association of Blair County, ----- Bradford County Agricultural Society, -----	W. J. McCab, Towanda, ----- Liston Bliss, Troy, -----	S. Bergen Park, Towanda. D. F. Pomeroy, Troy.
Berks, -----	Troy Agricultural Society, ----- Wyalusing Fair Association, -----	R. R. Vaughan, Wyalusing, ----- Frank W. De Laney, Sellersville, -----	G. M. Lyon, Wyalusing. I. Y. Barringer, Perkasie.
Blair, -----	Bucks County Agricultural Society, ----- Butler Driving Park and Fair Association, -----	George A. Schaffer, Butler, ----- W. F. Cunningham, Patton, R. F. D. No. 2.	W. B. Purvis, Butler. Dr. J. V. Maucher, Carrolltown.
Bradford, -----	Cambria County Agricultural Association, -----	F. X. Blumle, Emporium, ----- O. F. Acker, Lehighton, -----	Frank D. Judd, Emporium. J. Albert During, Lehighton.
Bucks, -----	Cameron County Agricultural Association, ----- Carbon County Industrial Society, -----	John I. Olewine, Bellefonte, ----- Henry Cope, Lincoln University, -----	De Laun Stewart, Bellefonte. Thos. F. Grier, Oxford.
Butler, -----	Centre County Agricultural Association, ----- Chester County Agricultural Association, -----	John H. Darlington, West Chester, ----- B. W. Thompson, Clarion, -----	Fred Rose Reid, West Chester. S. S. Laughlin, Clarion.
Cambria, -----	Clarion County Fair Association, ----- Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechan- ical Association, -----	Henry Deighmiller, Bloomsburg, R. F. D. Holcomb, Conneaut Lake, -----	A. N. Yost, Bloomsburg. H. O. Holcomb, Conneaut Lake.
Cameron, -----	Connell Lake Agricultural Association, ----- Agricultural Association of Cumberland County, -----	J. Kirk Bosler, Carlisle, ----- J. C. Parker, Mechanicsburg, R. F. D. No. 4.	W. H. McCrea, Carlisle. J. S. Coble, Mechanicsburg, R. F. D.
Carson, -----	Hogestown Horse and Cattle Show, -----	E. Hollis Croll, Middletown.	
Centre, -----	Middletown Fair Association, ----- Gratz Agricultural and Horticultural Association, -----	Colin S. Few, Middletown, ----- Prof. Harry Smith, Gratz, -----	
Chester, -----			
Chester, -----			
Clarion, -----			
Columbia, -----			
Crawford, -----			
Cumberland, -----			
Cumberland, -----			
Dauphin, -----			
Dauphin, -----			

Frie, -----	W. W. Morganidge, Corry.
Greene, -----	Geo. L. Hathaway, Carmichaels.
Indiana, -----	G. M. Bailey, Kenedy.
Jefferson, -----	M. F. Jamison, Indiana.
Juniata, -----	Samuel Arthurs, Brookville.
Lackawanna, -----	Sylvester Truman, Brookville.
Lancaster, -----	Charles D. Frankhouse, Port Royal.
Lawrence, -----	J. A. Yeager, Aberdeen.
Lebanon, -----	P. T. Watt, Lancaster.
Lebanon Valley Fair Association, -----	P. T. Watt, Lancaster.
Lebanon County Agricultural and Horticultural Association, -----	P. T. Watt, Lancaster.
Lehigh County Agricultural Society, -----	Wm. A. Ball, Hughesville.
Lyonning, -----	Wm. A. Ball, Hughesville.
Mercer, -----	A. J. McKean, Mercer.
Meyer, -----	Ino. P. Orr, Mercer.
Monroe, -----	J. H. Williams, Jackson Center.
Northampton, -----	Wm. K. LaBar, Pocono.
Perry, -----	A. H. Stoifleet, Stockerton.
Philadelphia, -----	J. Walter Lovatt, Bethlehem.
Sullivan, -----	T. H. Butturf, Newport.
Susquehanna, -----	C. B. Newbold, 511 Hert, Hall, Phila.,
Tioga, -----	G. E. Brown, Forksville.
Union, -----	Dr. H. H. Hoover, Harford.
Washington, -----	N. R. Jones, Monroe.
Wayne, -----	Frank Strong, Westfield.
Westmoreland, -----	T. H. Bailey, Mansfield.
York, -----	E. J. Tuttle, Wellsboro.
York, -----	No. 1.
York, -----	F. W. Getz, Lewisburg.
York, -----	J. E. Ferrin, Independence.
Warren, -----	J. J. Mahan, Sugargrove.
Wayne County Farmers' and Breeders' Association, -----	W. L. Ferguson, Scelyville.
Westmoreland, -----	M. P. Shoemaker, Greensburg.
York County Agricultural Society, -----	John H. Wogan, York.
Hanover Agricultural Society, -----	C. J. Dehone, Hanover.
Farmers' Improvement Association, -----	W. H. Freed, New Freedom.

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Cameron, -----	Cameron County Agricultural Association	5,000	-----	500 00	368 50	500 00	-----	Sept. 13-16.
Carbon, -----	Carbon County Industrial Society, -----	15,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	40 7	365 00 750 00	-----	-----	Lehighton, -----
Centre, -----	Centre County Agricultural Exhibiting Co., -----	15,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	750 00	-----	1,400 00	Sept. 27-30.
Chester, -----	The Oxford Agricultural Association, -----	20,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	500 00 500 00	7,500 00 1,573 55	-----	7,500 00	LeBellfonte, -----
Chester, -----	Chester County Agricultural Association, -----	18,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	103	-----	-----	-----	-----
Clarion, -----	Clarion County Fair Association, -----	12,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	250 296	1,000 00 1,000 00	1,400 00 8,163 15	2,500 00	Oxford, -----
Columbia, -----	Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, -----	28,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	-----	-----	West Chester, -----
Crawford, -----	Conneaut Lake Agricultural Association, -----	51,000	-----	-----	1,000 00	5,000 00	7,500 00	Conneaut Lake, -----
Cumberland, -----	Agricultural Association of Cumberland County, -----	15,000	1/2 mile,	60	1,000 00	1,200 00	-----	Carlisle, -----
Cumberland, -----	Hogestown Horse and Cattle Show, -----	3,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	87	680 90 319 09	922 19 373 25	1,800 00	Hogestown, -----
Dauphin, -----	Middleton Fair Association, -----	25,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	80	-----	-----	-----	Middletown, -----
Dauphin, -----	Gratz Agricultural and Horticultural Association, -----	5,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	-----	-----	Gratz, -----
Erie, -----	Corry Fair and Driving Park Association, -----	20,000	1/2 mile,	98	639 74	1,492 90	-----	Corry, -----
Greene, -----	Greene County Agricultural and Manufacturing Society, -----	7,000	1/2 mile,	160	707 00	3,800 00	-----	Carmichaels, -----
Indiana, -----	Indiana County Agricultural Society, -----	40,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	1,000 00 40	2,150 00 819 15	3,000 00	Indiana, -----
Jefferson, -----	Jefferson County Agricultural and Driving Park Association, -----	18,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	40	-----	-----	1,000 00	Brookville, -----
Junta, -----	Junta County Agricultural Society, -----	40,000	1/2 mile, 6,000	113 52	838 00 216 30	833 00 243 30	1,000 00	Port Royal, -----
Lackawanna, -----	Lackawanna County Grange Fair Association, -----	75,000	1/2 mile,	275	424 80	507 56	-----	Madisonville, -----
Lancaster, -----	Lancaster County Agricultural Fair Association, -----	8,000	1/2 mile, 45,000	100 600	600 00 987 10	1,200 00 5,650 00	-----	Lancaster, -----
Lawrence, -----	Pulaski Fair Association, -----	200,000	1/2 mile, 12,000	897 98	1,000 00 891 85	23,300 00 881 85	25,000 00 1,000 00	Pulaski, -----
Lebanon, -----	Lebanon Valley Fair Association, -----	20,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	2,800 00	-----	Allentown, -----
Lebanon, -----	Lebanon County Agricultural and Horticultural Association, -----	42,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	698 15	3,000 00	Hughesville, -----
Lehigh, -----	Lehigh County Agricultural Society, -----	50,000	1/2 mile, 7,000	-----	703 65 546 00	1,844 88	1,000 00	Merer, -----
Lycoming, -----	Muncy Valley Farmers' Club, -----	65,000	1/2 mile, 10,000	-----	454 00 324	2,625 00 716 75	4,000 00	Stonaboro, -----
Mercer, -----	Mercer Central Society, -----	20,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	698 15	1,000 00	Stroudsburg, -----
Mercer, -----	Mercer County Agricultural Society, -----	42,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	1,844 88	4,000 00	Nazareth, -----
Monroe, -----	Monroe County Agricultural Society, -----	50,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	-----	-----	Bethlehem, -----
Northampton, -----	Northampton County Agricultural Society, -----	7,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	323	-----	-----	-----	Bethlehem, -----
Northampton, -----	Pennsylvania State Fair Association, -----	65,000	1/2 mile, 10,000	-----	454 00 324	2,625 00 716 75	1,200 00	Newport, -----
Perry, -----	Perry County Agricultural Society, -----	10,000	1/2 mile, 1/2 mile,	-----	-----	1,870 00	1,910 00	Hort. Hall, -----
Philadelphia, -----	Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, -----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	Philadelphia, -----
Sullivan, -----	Sullivan County Agricultural Society, -----	5,000	-----	60	419 60	419 60	637 00	Forksville, -----
Susquehanna, -----	Harford Agricultural Society, -----	3,500	-----	-----	-----	-----	1,000 00	Harford, -----
Susquehanna, -----	Susquehanna County Agricultural Society, -----	4,000	-----	35	-----	-----	600 00	Montrose, -----

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County.	Corporate Name of Society.	Attendee, 1909.	Race track.	Number.	Amount received from Society fund.	Paid, 1909.	Offered, 1910.	Place.	Held 1910.	
									Date.	
Tioga, -----	Cowansque Valley Agricultural Society,	10,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	30	436.85	1,233.92	-----	Westfield, -----	Sept. 13-16.	
Tioga, -----	Smythe Park Association, -----	30,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	563.15	3,000.00	3,000.00	-----	Mansfield, -----	Sept. 20-23.	
Tioga, -----	Tioga County Pomona Grange, -----	-----	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	250	-----	-----	-----	Wellsboro, -----	No fair.	
Union, -----	Union County Agricultural Society, -----	30,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	202	1,000.00	1,300.00	-----	Lewisburg, -----	Sept. 27-30.	
Washington, -----	Union Agricultural Association, -----	2,500	1 mile,	2,000	100.00	4,700.75	-----	Burgettstown, -----	Sept. 26-29.	
Warren, -----	Warren County Farmers' and Breeders' Association, -----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	No fair.	
Wayne, -----	Wayne County Agricultural Society, -----	12,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	15	500.00	1,635.70	-----	-----	-----	Oct. 3-6.
Westmoreland, -----	Westmoreland Agricultural Society, -----	15,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	100	1,000.00	4,138.65	-----	Youngwood, -----	Sept. 6-9.	
York, -----	York County Agricultural Society, -----	140,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	215	1,000.00	5,072.25	9,000.00	York, -----	Oct. 3-7.	
York, -----	Hanover Agricultural Society, -----	15,000	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile,	-----	-----	4,233.75	5,500.00	Hanover, -----	Sept. 20-23.	
York, -----	Farmers' Improvement Association, -----	12,000	-----	125	-----	50.00	-----	New Freedom, -----	Sept. 29-Oct. 1.	
Total, -----		1,449,000	-----	12,055	\$28,584.24	\$127,061.55	\$121,222.00	-----	-----	